

## **EXHIBIT 9**

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
AUSTIN DIVISION

KATHY CLARK, AMY ENDSLEY, SUSAN )  
GRIMMETT, MARGUERIETTE SCHMOLL, )  
AND KEVIN ULRICH, ON BEHALF OF )  
THEMSELVES AND ALL OTHERS )  
SIMILARLY SITUATED, )

Plaintiffs, )

vs. )

CENTENE CORPORATION, CENTENE )  
COMPANY OF TEXAS, L.P., AND )  
SUPERIOR HEALTHPLAN, INC., )

Defendants. )

Civil Action No. 1:12-CV-00174-SS

JURY DEMANDED

**DEFENDANT'S OBJECTIONS AND RESPONSES TO PLAINTIFFS' FIRST  
REQUESTS FOR PRODUCTION  
TO DEFENDANT CENTENE COMPANY OF TEXAS, L.P.**

COMES NOW Defendant Centene Company of Texas, L.P. (hereafter "Centene Texas"),  
by and through its counsel, and pursuant to Rule 34 and 26(e)(1)(A) of the Federal Rules of Civil  
Procedure, submits its Responses and Objections to Plaintiff's First Request for Production as  
follows:

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**REQUEST NO. 17**

Employee lists or other documents containing the names and information requested in Interrogatory No. 6 of Plaintiffs' First Set of Interrogatories to Defendant Centene Company of Texas, L.P.

**RESPONSE:**

**Objection. Centene Texas objects to this request on the grounds that it is overly broad, unduly burdensome, and not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. No class has been certified in this case at this time and Plaintiffs' efforts to use this discovery as a method to discover other possible plaintiffs is improper at this stage of the litigation.**

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**Rule. Centene Texas objects to this request to the extent that it seeks documents in addition to the records that will be provided per Rule 26 and the Court's Scheduling Order.**

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

This is to certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing has been served upon all counsel of record via hand delivery on this 1st day of August 2012, as follows:

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